

Bloomfield Record.

[BY AUTHORITY.]
LAWS OF NEW JERSEY.
CHAPTER XXIX.

An act to legalize certain publications in a newspaper known as the "Sunday Call," of Newark.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That from and after the passage of this act, the sheriff, surrogate, county clerk, or other officer of the county of Essex, he and they are hereby empowered to publish in the newspaper now published in the city of Newark, in the county of Essex, and known as the "Sunday Call," any legal advertisement or other notice that they or either of them are now authorized to publish by law.

2. And be it enacted, That the comptroller of the state is hereby authorized to audit and draw his warrant for the payment of the bill of the "Sunday Call," for the publication of the laws of the session of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, at the same rate as allowed to other papers published in Essex county, on receiving proof of publication thereof.

3. And be it enacted, That any advertisement or notice published in said paper shall have the same effect, and be as legal as if published in any other paper in said county.

4. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 17, 1874.

CHAPTER LII.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act authorizing the sale of lands held in trust in certain cases," approved April sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That whenever by any last will and testament, lands and real estate are devised to, or whenever by any deed, lands and real estate are conveyed to or in trust for any person or persons for life or until the happening of some event in such will or deed named, and said lands and real estate so devised or conveyed, shall or have become chargeable with or liable to taxes or assessments, for the payment whereof no adequate provision is made in such will or deed, or by the estate of the testator, or provided for in such deed, and such lands and real estate have been sold or shall be liable to be sold for such taxes or assessments by virtue of any laws of this state whereby the interests of the owner or owners of the particular estate or of the estate in remainder in said lands and real estate, and named in said will, or said deed, may be injured or impaired, it shall be lawful for the court of chancery of this state, upon application of any such owner or owners, and upon consideration of the circumstances of the case to appoint a trustee or trustees for all said owners, and to order and decree that such trustee or trustees of the survivor of them, shall sell and convey such land and real estate or any part thereof, which trustee or trustees shall give such bonds for the faithful performance of his or their trust, and shall make such sale as said chancellor may direct; and when such decrees shall be made and such bond given, said trustee or trustees or survivor may sell and convey said lands and real estate free, clear, and discharged of any taxes or assessments thereon; and the proceeds of such sale, after the payment of said taxes or assessments, shall be held by such trustee, subject to the provisions of said will or said deed relating to said lands and real estate, in such manner as the chancellor may direct.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 18, 1874.

CHAPTER LXIV.

An act to defray the expense of the Constitutional Commission.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of this State of New Jersey, That for the purpose of defraying the expense of the constitutional commission appointed by the governor in pursuance of a joint resolution approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, the treasurer of this state shall, on or before the first day of May next, pay, upon the warrant of the comptroller, the following sums: for the expenses of stationery, printing, postage, &c., incurred by said commission in the performance of their duties, an amount not exceeding six hundred and seventy-five dollars; to the president and each of the members, the sum of three hundred dollars for the entire session, or proportionately for any part of the session; to each of the secretaries, the sum of five hundred dollars, and to the sergeant-at-arms, the sum of one hundred dollars.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 19, 1874.

CHAPTER XXII.

A further supplement to the act entitled "An act for the better securing the property of married women," approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That any married woman who now is, or may hereafter become entitled, by gift, devise or bequest, to any contingent estate, or any interest in any real or personal property or estate, may, with the concurrence of her husband, compound, in receipt for, assign and convey the same, in all cases where she lawfully might, if a feme sole, and every release, receipt, assignment, discharge, agreement, covenant, or contract, thereupon entered into by her in regard to the same and to the said property, shall be as valid and binding in every respect, upon her, her heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, and any and all persons claiming under her, them or either of them, as if she were, at the time of entering into the same, a feme sole, and when duly executed and acknowledged in the manner provided by law for conveyance of real estate, may be recorded in the surrogate's office, and whenever it relates to real estate in the clerk's or recorder's office, of the proper county or counties in the same manner and with like effect as other receipts and discharges may now be recorded therein.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 26, 1874.

CHAPTER CXV.

An act relative to the Public Printing.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the laws enacted at each session of the Legislature shall hereafter be printed in the same general style in which the volume of laws

was printed in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, excepting that the laws shall be collated and indexed under the several heads of general public acts, special public acts, and private acts; also that the legislative documents shall be hereafter printed in the same style in which the said work was done in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one; also, that the journals of the Senate and minutes of the joint meetings, and executive sessions, and the minutes of the House of Assembly shall be printed hereafter in a compact and workmanlike style; also, that the public bills ordered by either branch of the legislature shall be printed on good writing paper, with plain type, each page to contain thirty-one lines; and the prices to be paid for the said printing shall be as follows: for printing three thousand copies of the session laws, the sum of forty dollars per sheet of sixteen pages; for printing one thousand copies of the journal of the Senate, and one thousand copies of the minutes of the House of Assembly, the sum of thirty dollars per sheet of sixteen pages; for printing one thousand copies of the legislative documents, at the rate of one dollar per thousand lines for composition, and one dollar per copy for the printing of the same; for printing two hundred copies of the public bills, ordered by either branch of the legislature, at the rate of seven dollars per sheet of four foolscap pages; and for printing the pamphlets and other papers ordered by the Legislature, at the rate of one dollar per thousand lines for composition, and one dollar per copy for the printing of the same; provided that in all cases where rule and figure work is required, the price for composition shall be double the rates above stated; and where matter requires two justifications, without rules, one price and a half shall be paid; and provided further, that one dollar extra per page, shall be paid for printing all indices and tables of contents set in bourgeois type in the session laws, journals of senate, and minutes of the House of Assembly.

2. And be it enacted, That the above prices shall include all the expenses incident to the printing and delivery to the State Treasurer of all documents ordered except folding and stitching, which shall be charged at the current prices for such work, and the paper, which shall be of good quality and of the following description: for the documents, journals, and minutes, white calendered printing paper, twenty-four by thirty-eight inches in size, weighing not less than forty-four pounds to the ream of four hundred and eighty sheets; for the laws, the same size as for the journals, and to weigh not less than fifty pounds to the ream of four hundred and eighty sheets; for the bills, to be on good quality paper, weighing fourteen pounds to the ream; the price to be allowed for such paper shall be at the lowest rate per pound at which the same is sold by paper dealers during the first week of January; and satisfactory evidence of the price of such papers within the said period shall be submitted to the comptroller, before the allowance by him of any bill for paper on which any public printing shall be executed.

3. And be it enacted, That all messages, pamphlets, reports, or other documents which are deemed of sufficient public importance to be printed and bound for the use of the legislature, shall hereafter be embraced in one volume, under the title of "Legislative Documents"; and no document or report shall be embraced in said volume, unless so ordered by the joint committee on printing; and when such joint committee, in order any document to be printed in the said volume of documents, there shall be one thousand copies thereof printed, which documents shall be numbered in the order in which they are ordered to be printed, and the Governor's annual message shall be classed as document number one in said volume; when any document shall be ordered to be printed more than once, at periods more than four days apart, the printer thereof shall be entitled to charge for composition as above provided for, each time the document shall be so printed, and in no other case shall more than one composition be paid for the printing of such reports or documents.

4. And be it enacted, That in conformity with the act approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, it shall be the duty of the clerk of the general assembly and the secretary of the senate to deliver copies completed of the journals of their respective houses, to the persons employed to print the same, within thirty days after the session of the legislature; and in the event of said clerk or secretary failing to deliver such copies at provided for in this section, they shall forfeit to the treasurer for the use of the state, the sum of one hundred dollars of their salary.

5. And be it enacted, That the indices to the pamphlet laws to the journal of the senate, the minutes of the house of assembly, and the legislative documents, shall be hereafter made out by the person or persons respectively who may be employed to make out said printing; and the sum of one hundred dollars each shall be allowed the printers for compiling such indices, provided that said indices shall be printed in solid bourgeois type, and be made out alphabetically under one heading in the style of the indices respectively of the pamphlet laws, and the senate journal for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

6. And be it enacted, That William S. Sharp, of Trenton, shall be employed to print the senate bills, pamphlets, reports of state officers for presentation to the legislature, and such other matter as may be ordered by the senate and house of assembly.

7. And be it enacted, That Godfrey H. Hays, of Burlington, be employed to print one thousand copies of the minutes of the house of assembly for the current year, in compact form, as per minutes of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

8. And be it enacted, That John Y. Foster, of Newark, be employed to print one thousand copies of the journal of the senate and minutes of the joint meetings and executive sessions for the current year, in compact form, as per minutes of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

9. And be it enacted, That George E. Nixon, of Bridgeton, be employed to print one thousand copies of the legislative documents of the current year.

10. And be it enacted, That Murphy and Bechtel be employed to print bills of the house of assembly during the present session.

11. And be it enacted, That Chiswell and Wurts, of Paterson, be employed to print three thousand copies of the laws enacted at the present session of the legislature, which copies shall be delivered to the state treasurer, within two months after the said Chiswell and Wurts have received the copy thereof, and on failure thereof, the said Chiswell and Wurts shall forfeit the sum of five hundred dollars, which sum the said treasurer is authorized to withhold and de-

duct from the amount due them for printing said copies.

12. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the secretary of state to deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the person or persons who shall be employed to print the copies of the laws, a copy of every law passed at this session of the legislature, within thirty days after the passage of each law, and on failure thereof shall be compelled to pay to the person or persons employed to print the copies of the laws, any sum which he or they may have forfeited by reason of such default.

13. And be it enacted, That all acts or parts of acts conflicting with the provisions of this act, be and are hereby repealed.

14. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

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